But waiving this point, we find the table too narrow in its range to be satisfactory. It relates to only twenty articles of import, when a complete table would embrace hundreds of articles. There is some falling off in every one of these. The table begins with woolen goods and ends with wines. The heaviest percentage of falling off in the entire list is found under the head of precious stones. From \$11,503,655 the importation in that line fell to \$5,225,147 more than one-half. Precious stones being purely and wholly luxurious, the decline shows the change in the times. The amount of decline in silks was greater than in jewels, but the percentage was much smaller. The ladies of the household may dispense altogether with new jewelry, but dresses they must have, and silk is often less expensive than some other kinds of dress goods. Another large falling off is in fruits and nuts. This is partly due to the excellence, abundance, and variety of our home products, but also partly due to more rigid economy, for both are table luxuries, not necessaries of

period.

But in the present state of the treasury the great question is how to revise the tariff so as to bring in more revenue. The attempt of the Times Herald to promote free-tradeism by insisting that there must be no change in duties on imports until after the next president comes into power does not meet with favor. So far as heard from the Republican congressmen. while opposed to general revision, favor a tariff for revenue with incidental protection, and that ought to be accepted as a foregone conclusion, proicit. The importations for the fall grade have not begun to come in yet, and may be heavier than anticipated.

## TAXATION OF LUXURIES.

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The coming Congress, says the San

Francisco Chronicle, whether it shall
be convened in extra session or not

The convened in extra session or not extra session o meet until the regular session in December, will be called upon to deal at once with a serious matter, that of providing revenue sufficient for the needs of the government. The income tax is overboard, and the expedient of insular more bonds while it may will be reopened on Monday, September 20. meet until the regular session in Deissuing more bonds, while it may suit | ber 2d. Wall street and President Cleveland, does not and cannot commend itself, to the common sense of American

scheme of tariff revenue reform on the true sense of the term, not a general sweeping and ill advised reduction o import duties founded on charlatanism and supported by the arguments of demagogues, which is the Democratic idea of tariff reform, but a careful, studied and scientific readjustment of the duties on imports, so as to produce more revenue, and at the same time distribute the burden as equally as

only substituted ad valorem for specific duties, which was a great blunder, but strained itself to reduce the duties on things which are, in reality, objects of luxury. Foreign textile fabrics, such O. N. G., has tried several non-coms. as silks, fine manufactured woolens and similar articles, were put on a lower scale, though the purchasers of such articles were presumably able to pay any rate of duty that might be demanded. Such tariff legislation makes a nation ridiculous. If men must have their clothes made by Poole in London, and women buy their gowns of some celebrated modiste in Paris, let them pay for the luxury, not only to the tailor and modiste but to the gov-

This argument, it will be observed loes not touch the subject of protection unless incidentally. The follies and blunders of the Democratic party, its utter ignorance of finance, and its greed for political supremacy at all fuse" it. But the marshal, who knows hazards have put this country into a a-good man when he sees him, was importante, and the proffered honor was position where it must consider seriously the subject of tariff for revenue. republican. The Democrats have made a muddle of it, as usual, and the Republicans must extricate the nation from the quagmire into which Democratic misrule has plunged it. The tariff must be reformed—that is, constructed anew-and luxuries must be made to

## ITEMS IN BRIEF.

penses of the government.

pay at least a fair share of the ex-

From Saturday's Daily. The river fell during the last twenty

Mr. C. P. Balch and Mr. T. H. Johnston, of Dufur, are in the city today. Mr. J. C. Crandall paid a visit to Hood River this morning on the boat. Mr Horatio Fargher, one of the sheep kings of Wasco county, is in town today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Macallister were passengers on the *Regulator* this morn-ing to the Cascades.

Hon. Henry Blackman, collector of customs, came down on the train from from a visit to friends in Dufur. Grant this morning, and left this after-

The latest acquisition to the professional ranks of The Dalles is H. R. Hesse, the well-known veterinary sur-

Marshal Blakeny brought to the county jail this afternoon Carl Nickelsen, who had served a term in the reson of form school, and who, by reason of bad behavior, will very likely be sent bad behavior, will very likely be sent bas made our most her has made our

there again.

Chas. Newell, editor of the Harney Remarks, and J. E. Roberts, formerly an editor of Harney County Record, were each tried on a charge of criminal libel at the late term of circuit court at Burns. Mr. Newell's jury recommended him to the mercy of the court, and he was fined \$100. Roberts plead

The warm weather has made our citizens consider the desirability of summer resorts, and within the next few days several will leave for the ocean beach, Trout Lake, and other cool and shady spots.

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guilty and was fined \$250, besides the ensity of a \$150 talk from Judge

Canyon City News: A load of Chinanen was shipped from Walla Walla to the north fork of the John Day to work in the mines. But upon their arrival Social" on the lawn of Geo. W. Miller, there the miners of that section informed John that they did not need his assistance and loaded them up and

frank in his expressions of admiration. When asked what he saw in America which commended itself most to his approval he responded with great alacity, "your lager beer."

O. L. Darling, of Salem, set free 15 carrier pigeons Sunday belonging to Fred S. Meeker, of Puyallup, Wash. The pigeons started at 9:15 A. M., and Mr. Meeker informs Mr. Darling that he first one seen in Puyallup was at 12:40 P. M. having made the flight in three hours and 28 minutes. At 2:10 the same day all but one had arrived. "Why," shouted the impassioned

populist orator, "why is it that the wife of the American farmer lacks the happy, contented look to be found on the face of the bareheaded peasant woman of Europe?" "Because," said the man near the door, "because the bareheaded peasant does not have to worry all the time about her hat being

From Monday's Daily. Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Sargent started Mrs. Neil Boyer has gone land for medical attendance.

Frank Steinmiller, of Mosier, Isabella Watt have been granted a marriage license. Mr. Geo. W. Herbine, the pharma-George Hardy, formerly of The

came up on the conductors special today. T. J. Boothby and son of Monmouth, Polk county, formerly of The Dalles, have just returned from Walla

Dan Baker is having built a neat 6room cottage in Kramer's addition, near Mr. Frank Laughlin's home. Its cost will be, approximately, \$1000. Charles Fritz returned last night from Portland, where he went last week to attend the marriage ceremony hat united his sister Ida with John C

Robert Smith, of Grass Valley, bassed through The Dalles today with a large band of sheep, en route to Sis Crook county, where he will range his stock.

Frank Hill has been appointed a deputy by Sheriff Driver, and is busy serving legal papers this week. Mr. Hill's appointment is one that gives much satisfaction. Mrs. Fritz Furter has returned from Woodland, Ore., where she was sum-noned on account of the serious ill-

her at Portland and accompanied Prof. Lewis Barzee, brother of F. S. Barzee of The Dalles, has been elected resident of the Drain, Or., normal chool. Mr. Barzee is but thirty years of age. He will preside over 500 pupils

Mrs. J. H. Cross called at the county jail yesterday afternoon and conducted a religious service of song and prayer for the benefit of the few prisoners therein confined. Her brief visit was highly appreciated. John Fletcher, for several years en-

Ridgeway country, having sold his ranches to George Young, has departed for Australia, accompanied by his nephew, William Hardstaff. A few weeks ago the blacksmiths of the city made an endeavor to raise

On Sunday, June 16th, Archbishop Gross will dedicate the new Roman Catholic church at Cascade Locks. The right reverend gentleman will be assisted by Rev. A. Bronsgeest, of The Dalles. It is expected that the archbishop will also confer the rite of conference of the conferen

firmation on that date. Four coach loads of the Pacific Coast members of the Order of Railway Con-ductors paid The Dalles a flying visit this afternoon. The train was in charge of Conductor Miller. The excursionists are en route home from the east. Many of them were accompanied

by feminine relatives. To meet the splendid river service of the D. P. & A. N. Company, the O. R. & N. Company has made these rates to Portland: Round-trip, good for ten days, \$3.50; on Saturdays, good for forty-eight hours, \$3. The round-trip rate of the former company is \$3, and passenger traffic is on the increase.

The summary court of martial law and enlisted men, but the findings o the tribunal have not yet been made public. It is not thought that sentence of death will be passed upon any of the delinquents, but they are shaking,

just the same. The case of Bertie Stewart, keeper of a brothel, accused of having sold liquor without a license, is occupying Judge Bradshaw's attention this afternoon. Up to 3 o'clock the following jurors had been accepted: J. A. Gulli ford, E. R. Russell, D. A. Turner, W H. Sharp, Geo. Reno, J. W. Atwell, W. H. Davis, E. Pitman and W. E. ylvester. The case promises to be an

Sheriff Driver has, by United States Marshal H. C. Grady, been appointed a deputy for Eastern Oregon. Mr Driver did not desire the billet and, like the late J. Cæsar, "did thrice re. finally accepted Mr. Grady is a good Democrat and Mr. Driver is a better

The first load of Wallowa county vool arrived at Elgin Friday. There is reported to have been trouble in Wallowa between sheep owners and shearers over the question of wages. The owners decline to pay over four cents per head, and as a consequence a large number of shearers have re-turned from Wallowa during the past veek, and will seek employment in

other quarters. The case of E. Martin, ex-deputy county clerk, charged with over-issuing county script. was called by Judge Bradshaw this morning. At the last term of court Mr. Martin's attorney, A. S. Bennett, interposed a demurrer to the complaint which was overruled. Today the judge withdrew that ruling, and announced that on Friday next he would hear argument upon the motion. Shuold the demurrer be not sustained it is thought the trial of the cause will

From Tuesday's Daily.

Mr. A. J. Dufur, jr., is in the city The common council met last eve ing and adjourned until 10 o'clock this

Herrick's cannery ran a little while geon. He is registered at the European today on a few fish, but the salmon run is not sufficient to keep it busy but a small portion of the time.

resulting in damage only to the wag one to which the teams were attached out a lady and child in a cart narrowly

scaped serious injury. The young ladies of the First Chris-tian church will give a "Conundrum Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock Come and guess what it is.

The blank lithographed bonds were Prince Joseph, of Battenberg, is having a fine time in America. He came over to see the country and to study American institutions, and he is mayor and recorder, and in so doing they will sign their names 5814 times.

THE GRAND JURY

During Their Session. In the circuit court of the state of Ore gon for Wasco county, May term, 1895.

To the Honorable Court above named:
We, the grand jury, for the May
term, 1895, respectfully submit this our final report:
We have been in session five days, court from time to time four "true bills" and three "not true bills." We have examined the county re-

able to judge, from our hasty examina-tion, we find all books neatly and cor-We find from the report of the expert appointed to examine the books of the clerk's office, that there has been fraudulent script issued to the amount of \$1311.77, and we recommend that the county proceed to collect this amount from the bondsmen of the repective clerks during whose term of

ffice such fraudulent script was issued, or in any other manner provided by law.
We further recommend that an expert be appointed by the county court, to investigate and examine the books of the sheriff's office, from July, 1890, to the present time, and to report the result of his labor to the county court. We find that our county indebted ness is large, and that there is a large amount of delinquent taxes to be colthat the necessary action be taken at once to collect these taxes. Having completed our labors we ask

o be discharged. WILLIAM FLOYD, (Signed.)

COLUMBIA RIVER SCENERY.

the Grandest on the Continent Within Fifty Miles os The Dalles. The scenery on the Columbia river renowned all over the continent, nd tourists from all parts of the country view it with the highest ecstacy. Vhere this great volume of water orces its way through the Cascades the mountains are grand in the ex-treme, and the ruggedness of the banks is awe-inspiring. The beholder is charmed into admiration by the won-ders that surround him. Piercing the clouds the snow-capped peaks can be discerned as they lift their hoary heads far above the line of forest growths, and then breaking through some dismal gorge can frequently be seen a sheet of water, which lashes it-self into spray as it falls precipit-ously hundreds of feet into the stream below. The river is changed into de-moniacal fury as it forces its way through a rock-bound channel, and its anger is apparently increased by the frowning and forbidding bluffs that hem it on either side. Mountains the grandest on the continent, the majestic Columbia, the bluest skies and most artistics tints on landscape ad before the view of the trav-These cannot but be attractive to any who possess the love of nature in its wildest or mildest moods, and no better opportunity will be af-forded to behold this great panorama than the excursion tomorrow. The stop at Multnomah Falls and Oneonta Gorge will be worth the trip, for these are undoubtedly the greatest phenom-ena on the banks of the Columbia

CLOSING OF THE ACADEMY.

Graduated This Month.

Some remarkably fine painting, drawing and needle work has been performed by the pupils of St. Mary's Academy, conducted in The Dalles by the Sisters of the Holy Name. Much of it would reflect credit upon experienced artistic that the statement of the statement lenced artists notwithstanding the fact that it is the handiwork of girls between the ages of 10 and 20 years. The pupils have made wonderful progress under the tuition of the faith-

Those who are especially entitled to commendation are: Mrs. T. Baldwin, of the Dalles; Miss Birdie Downing, Condon; Miss Cassie Thoubourn, of Kingsley; Miss Katie Quaid, of Heppner; and Misses Emma and Lena

The end of the school term falls on Friday, June 14th, and will be appropriately observed. The graduating class comprises Misses Cassie Thou-bourn, Ada Smith, Alma Schanno, Agnes Le Duc and Cassie Wright One hundred and thirty-eight pupils attend the academy and it is anticipated that during the next term, which will begin on September 2d, the attendance will be considerably aug-

LAND TRANSFERS.

May 31.—Dalles City to Antone Jerome, lots 5 and 6, blk 34, Gates' addition to Dalles City; \$575.

May 31.—John Fletcher to George A.

Young; sw 1 of nw 1, ne 1 of sw 1 sec. 27; lots 4, 5, 6, and 7, sec. 28 tp 6 s, r 14 June 1 .- Chas. H. Stranahan, and wife to George F. Stranahan; 10 acres in sec. θ, tp 2 n, r 10 east; \$500. June 1.—Chas. H. Stranahan to Margaret Stranahan; 11 acres in sec. 9, tp 2 n, r 10 east; \$250. June 1.—Chas. H. Stranahan and

Maggie E. Stranahan to Fannie E. Balley; 20; acres in sec. 9 tp 2 n, r 10 east; \$900.

June 1.—Frankie A. Logan and J. A. Logan to Emile Schanno; part of lot 1 blk 2 in Laughlin's and Bigelow's addition to Dalles City; \$350.

A Proper Subject For Lynch Law.

Monday evening shortly after 4 o'clock as Mr. Baker's little girls and one or two other school children were returning home from school at the Dunn school house, south of Eugene, they were chased by an unknown tramp, evidently for a criminal purpose. The little girls, the eldest of whom is aged only 13 years, ran and fought the man to defend themselves, at the same time screaming for help. at the same time screaming for help They were heard by some of the neigh bors, who came to the rescue, when the would-be fiend took to the woods. W. M. Juvinall went to town immediately and swore out a warrant for the arrest of the individual, and Constable Dan Linton and Deputy Wid McGee have since been in search of him, but have not captured the fellow yet. The ittle girls were from 10 to 13 years of

The recent rainfall in Umatilla ounty exceeded the amount which fell in any other portion of Eastern Oregon during the same length of time, and barring possible hot winds in June, insures fine prospects for this year's grain, says the Pendleton Tribune. Last week south of the Blue the remains. mountains the thermometer dropped to the freezing temperature, and visit-ors from the interior report killing ors from the interior report killing frosts throughout Baker, Grant, Harney and Malheur counties. In Grant county potatoes, melons, tomatoes and horse which he was riding falling on tatoes were all frozen.

"Flour has within the week gone up 25 cents per barrel," said A. H. Curtiss of the Diamond Mills, this morning. "Wheat, too, has advanced a shade,

COMMON COUNCIL

ngs of the Regular Meeting The regular meeting of the commo council was held at the council chamers last evening, at 8 o'clock. Present—Mayor and a full board ex-cept G. C. Eshelman. Minutes of previous meetings read

and approved It was ordered on motion that the committee on streets and public property make provisions for taking in The report of the special committee

appointed to investigate the question of water rent was read and on motion The regular monthly reports of the city officers was read, accepted and

olaced on file.

Special ordinance No. —, being an ordinance granting to the D. P. & A. N. Co. certain lands to be used for wharves, docks, steamboat landing, warehouse and transportation purpose was read and ordered referred to com-mittee on at eets and public property. The claims against the city were then read and ordered allowed, except that of Mrs. Obarr for damages from quarantine, on account of small pox, which was referred to a special com-mittee consisting of A. R. Thompson, ords and books, and as far as we are M. T. Nolan and G. C. Eshelman. The following judges and clerks for the coming city election were then

First Ward-Judges, T. Haslan, R. E. Saltmarshe and H. Whitmore; clerks, D. Bunnell, and T. A. Hudson. Second Ward—Judges, F. H. Wake-field, R. W. Crandall and John Cates; clerks, E. P. FitzGerald and F. H.

Third Ward—Judges, E. Schanno, J. M. Marden and C. E. Bayard; clerks, F. N. Hill and J. Doherty. Voting places were named as fol-lows: First Ward, city marshal's of-fice; second ward, Wm. Michell's undertaking rooms; third ward, frame school house, between Fifth and Sixth streets, west side of Union.

The recorder was instructed to pos

the necessary notices, required by charter, of the time of holding the ap-It was ordered that when the council adjourns it adjourns to meet June 4th On motion it was ordered that Mr E. Kurtz be instructed to confer with the committee on street and public

property in the matter of the erection of a stable or shed on the city's lot between Court and Washington.

There being no further business, council on motion adjourned. ADJOURNED MEETING. Council convened at 10 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment. Present-the mayor and a full board

of councilmen except Eshelman, Hood The committee on fire and water recommended the amendment of ection 22 of ordinance 129, including in the provision regarding the dis-tances of fires from buildings, fences and all other inclosures.

It was ordered that the above nt be accepted and an ordinance be drawn in accordance thereto It was ordered that when the council adjourns it adjourns to meet on the 15th inst., at 8 o'clock P. M.

Special Ordinance No.— transfer-ring certain moneys of Dalles City from the general fund to special funds On motion warrants were ordere drawn on payment of all claims allowed

from January 1, up to and including May 3, 1895.

A warrant was ordered drawn on the general fund to the amount of \$2.15 in blank lithographed bonds. There ap the council adjourned.

DICKENS' EVENING.

Last Meeting of the Taine Class Befor

At the residence of Mrs. C. E. Dun ham last evening the members of the Taine class assembled, and the literary Taine class assembled, and the literary exercises being productions of Chas. Dickens, a majority were in costume, representing some character delineated by the celebrated humorist. The time was spent very agreeably and profitably by recitations from the author, and the rendition of "The Ivy Green" by Mrs. B. S. Huntington, and "What Are the Wild Waves Saying?" by Misses Georgie and Lizzie Sampson were attractive features of the prowere attractive features of the programme. After the literary exercises were rehearsed those present sat down to a bountiful repast, prepared by the hostess, Mrs. C. E. Dunham. The following persons were present: Rev. W. C. and Mrs. Curtis, Mr. B. S. and Mrs. Huntington, Mesdames Shackleford, A. R. Thompson, Stewart, E. M. Wilson, Barrett; Misses Ursula Ruch, Minnie Michell, Hall, Enright, Riggs, Ketchum, Thompson, Story, Adnah Helm, Lewis, Elizabeth and Georgie

Sampson; Messrs. F. W. Wilson, G. W. Phelps and Fred Wilson. Last Wednesday Andy Lytle met with an accident while hauling wood, in the mountains between McKay and Willow creek, which came near costing him his life, says the Prineville Review. His team became frightened while going down a hill and ran away, throwing him off the wagon with such violence as to stun him severely, and he remained unconscious until found by a neighbor several hours after the accident occurred. He was taken to and did not regain consciousness until the following morning. When the team was found one horse was dead, and the wagon was a perfect wreck. At last accounts Mr. Lytle was getting along as well as could be expected, though his head is badly bruised.

ESCAPE OF A CATTLE THIEF.

Alvin Sigman Eludes the Officers of Wa The grand jury last week indicted Alvin Sigman, charged with stealing cattle from ranches in the vicinity of Dufur. Upon receiving a warrant for the arrest of the indictee Sheriff Driver dispatched a deputy to his home with instructions to arrest him at all

left the country at an opportune mo-ment. Should he return to Oregon during the next few years he will be promptly arrested and brought to trial. Sheriff Driver is confident that the palmy days of cattle rustling in Wasco county are gone by—a condition that will be hailed with delight by stock-

William McKeever' Body Found. The body of William McKeever The body of William McKeever, who was reported to have been lost last winter while trapping between Bridge creek and Horseshoe basin, was discovered last week near Park creek, about three miles above Bridge creek, in the Stehekin valley, by a party of miners, who were on their way to the lake from the west side of the Cascade pass. The men had a couple of dogs with them, which were following the tracks of a bear when it led them to where the body lay, not far from the trail. It is supposed that he was killed by a snowslide, while on his way to the lake for provisions, and the several attempts that were made to find his body last December were of no avail on acceptance of the continuous fall of specific provided the continuous fall of the continuous

him. The boy was brought to Mr. Cushing's residence, near this city, and Dr. Hollister called this morning. On examination he was found to be injured internally, and in a serious manner. Frank is about 20 years of age, and was in robust health when the accident happened.

Phirman, D. S. Dufur and John Bar nett. For the defense the following were called and testified: Fran nett. For the defense the following were called and testified: Frank Gabel, George Reed, Mrs. Maloney, Tom Maloney, Emma Phirman, J. J. Maloney, John Crate, Mrs. Douglass, Bena Snelling, Mr. McGee, Mr. Mesplie, James Smith, M. Fleming, — Swanson, Robert Kelly and — Hill. This afternoon the attorneys were making their arguments and the case making their arguments, and the case will go to the jury this evening. In the report of criminal docket yes erday, instead of State of Oregon vs. Cas. Baker it should have been State

of Oregon vs. James Kerns, "not a true bill." In the law docket the only new try was Peter M. Cochran vs. J. D unney: demurrer to answer. The grand jury made their final re port-which is published elsewhereand were discharged.

Fatal Accident Near Antelope News reached this city yesterday that a fatal accident occurred at Ante-lope last Saturday afternoon. A man known as "Shorty" White, at the farm of E. C. Dickerson, a few miles from Antelope, attempted to stop a runaway team, and to accomplish this stepped in front of the frightened aninals and took hold of the reins. The neck yoke broke and he was thrown under the horses' feet. Before h could recover himself he was struck in the head by the sharp iron shoes and his skull fractured. He only lived a few moments after receiving the injuries. We could learn no further par

THE CITY ELECTION.

ticulars, and nothing about the man

except the name by which he was usually known.

Will be Held on Monday, June 17th and Probably Will Not be Exciting. The voters of The Dalles will or fonday, June 17th, elect a mayor, five councilmen and three water commis sioners. From all appearances the connotwithstanding the fact that the in coming council will have considerabl patronage to bestow-notably the marhalship and the recordership. The water commissioners who will retire are: J. O. Mack, commissioner at large; Dr. T. A. Logan of the firs ward; and W. H. Wilson of the third Dr. Logan has recently migrated from the second ward into the first,

Mr. E. N. Chandler returned Saturday from taking the census in Tygh, Wamic and Wapinitia precincts. He says he never saw fall grain in bet-

ward first named.

ter condition, and spring wheat is growing very well, but needs warm weather. Rain would be welcome, but grain is not suffering. When Mr. Chandler first came to the country there was not over 100 inhabitants in these precincts, and now there are over 1000. On every hand is discovered marks of improvement. virgin soil is being plowed, and new houses are being built. Within the past few years wonderful changes have the Columbia river valley the frost

Work at the Locks. The water is so high at the Cascade river recedes to the normal stage One section of the second gate is placed in position, and as soon as the water goes down the other gates will be the canal to and from Eastern Oregon The contractors are very much in earnest about the work, and will push it with the greatest activity as soon as the river will permit.

The Walla Walla Statesman ofore the Snake river has been barrier between the squirrel swarm-ng country to the north and Walls Valla county, but it is so no more The ferrymen and farmers in the icinity of Lyons' ferry report that the pesky little rodents are swimming the Snake river by thousands and as soon as they get across immediately attack the growing grain. Something must be done at once or the entire country will be captured by them. There is no doubt that they swim across the river, for the ferrymen say they see them. These squirrels are

getting too smart. A Big Chunk ora Big Lie A man came into Grant's Pass from Powell's creek the first part of the week and reported a big find there. Eli Taylor, an old prospector, he said, took out 31 pounds of gold from a pocket in his claim. The informer said he helped the old man weigh out the money and they used ordinary scales which are 16 ounces to the pound. One piece weighed 13‡ pounds, which would figure up to over \$3500. The whole lot amounts to about \$8500. No one in Grant's Pass seems to know definitely about the matter, and as the money has not been brought in, peo ment. Powell's creek is a tributary of William creek and is about 18 miles

from Grant's Pass.

Fruit Not Damaged The past week has been quite coo in this vicinity, and one or two nights frost has covered the ground. So far as known no damage has been done to fruit prospects, and an abundant yield is expected. The berry harvest is somewhat delayed, and it will require warmer weather for the strawberries to mature. Large quantities have been marketed, and more will be sold when the temperature changes. Young apples, peaches and prunes appear thrifty, and these have received no damage so far as could be ascertained. The cool weather has not been hurtful to grain, although its growth has been impeded somewhat.

Circuit Court. The suit of A. A. Urquhart vs. G. C. the arrest of the indictee Sheriff Driver dispatched a deputy to his home with instructions to arrest him at all hazards, but the officer failed to discover his man.

It seems that Sigman anticipated the action of the investigating body and left the country at an opportune moment. Should he return to Oregon during the next few years he will be promptly arrested and brought to trial. Sheriff Driver is confident that the represented by H. H. Riddell, while Urquhart's interests were championed by Story & Gates. The jury will probably render a verdict late this



Bright Lad,

"When I was one year old, my mamma died of consumption. The doctor said that I too, would soon die, and all our neighborhought that even if I did not die, I would ever be able to walk, because I was sevent and puny. A gathering formed an each was made my arm. I hust my finger and t gathered and threw out precess of bone. If I hust myself so as to break the skin, it was sure to become a running sore. I had of take lots of medicine, but nothing has one me so much good as Ayer's Barsapailla. It has made me well and strong."

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CROP-WEATHER REPORT.

Eastern Oregon For the Week Endi June 3, 1895.

WEATHER-Showers prevailed in the fore part of the week. Since Tuesday the weather has been cool and cloudy. Frosts occurred in the greater which explains the vacancy in the portion of this section of the state on the 28th, 30th and 31st of May, being especially heavy south of the Blue mountains. The total rainfall for the week amounted to about one-quarter of an inch. The maximum temperature ranged from 52 to 76 deg.; the minimum from 40 to 46 deg., except south of the Blue mountains, where i ranged from 20 to 42 deg. Freezing temperature prevailed over the greater portion of the country south of the Blue mountains, which has an eleva-28th and 31st of May. CROPS-There was no damage done by the frosts. Where the frosts were wed, and new heavy, the vegetation has not advanced Within the sufficiently for damage to be done; in

taken place in this portion of the county.

were too light to do injury. Strawberries are ripening rapidly throughout the Columbia river valley and large shipments are being daily made. The crop is an unusually heavy one. Cherries are ripe at Hood River and at The Dalles. The rain was of great enefit to the grain crop. There is a large acreage of spring and volun-teer grain this year, especially in Gil-liam and Morrow counties; more than the usual grain of this kind is in Wasço, Sherman and Umatilla counties; spring and volunteer grain requires frequent and timely rain to make a crop; the past rains have been very beneficial; but more will be re-quired during this month to make good yields. The present condition is good, but the farmers are nervous over possible hot, dry winds this month. Fail-sown or summer-fallow grain was never more promising; it has stooled well and has a good stand. It is now heading regidly. Eve has been deaded and heading rapidly. Rye has headed and will soon be ready to be cut. The hay crop has been greatly benefited by the rains, and like in the western portion of the state, a heavy hay crop will be secured. Grasshoppers are unusually plentiful in portions of Gilliam and Morrow counties. Range grass is good and the cattle present an excellent appearance. They are fat and in prime condition. Every correspondent, except a few in Morrow and Gilliam counties, reports excellent pros-pects for large yields of all crops. pects for large yields of all crops.

The average June rainfall ranges from \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$1\frac{1}{2}\$ inches in the Columbia river valley, and from \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$1\frac{1}{2}\$ inches south of the Blue mountains; as a rule the rainfall is more in the form of heavy spring showers than in long-continued gentle showers. The condi-

tion for bounteous crops of all descrip-tions have seldom, if ever, been better in years ago than they are at the presceased reporting; others are somewhat tardy. In order that complete and ac curate reports may be had, it is requested that all be more punctual, and mail reports so that they may reach the central office by noon Monday. More names will be added to the mailing lists if the correspondents so request. The bulletin is mailed on request to all parts of the United States free of charge. P. S. PAGUE, P. S. PAGUE,

County Clerk Kelsay, who recently planted several thousand apple trees in his orchard near The Dalles, has ex-perienced considerable difficulty in exterminating a tremendous colony of digger squirrels which have been wax-ing fat on his industry. Between the rows of trees Mr. Kelsay planted corn, and this the insatiable rodents have almost entirely uprooted, besides nipping the bark off many trees, quite a number of which they destroyed. Poisoned wheat has had fatal effect upon the squirrels, however, and within a week or two they will have been completely wined out.

Pay the County Debt. All county warrants registered prior to Nov. 1, 1891, will be paid if presented at my office, corner Third and Washington streets, The Dalles, Ore. Interest ceases after May 25, 1895. Wm. MICHELL,

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